Extension in service

2562. SHRI K. CHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether persons working as Secretaries to the Government of India are also eligible to get extension under the second provision to Fundamental Rule 56;

(b) if so, the details including procedure laid down for extension up to age of 62 years and 64 years, category-wise as on today; and

(c) the details of specialists who have been granted extension up to age of 62 and 64 years and reasons for granting extension, category-wise and speciality-wise for last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) Under rule 56 (d) of the Fundamental rules, provisions exist for grant of extension beyond the age of superannuation to a specialist in medical or scientific fields upto 62 years of age and an eminent scientist of international stature upto 64 years. A Secretary covered under the aforesaid categories can also be considered for appropriate extension.

(b) and (c) A statement is enclosed. (*See* below). As for procedure, the background qualifications and the achievements of those eligible to be considered under the scheme as per (a) above, is scrutinised and extension granted to those found suitable as per orders of the competent authority.

Statement

List of officers granted extension

(A) Under second and third proviso to F.R. 56 (d), during the last three years, the following Secretary level Officers were granted extension in service ranging from 62 to 64 years of age:—

2002

(1) Dr. H.K. Gupta, Secretary, Department of Ocean Development - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 01.07.2002 to 30.06.2004.

(2) Prof. V.S. Ramamurthy, Secretary, Department of Science and

Technology - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2002 to 30.4.2004.

(3) Dr. R.A. Mashelkar, Secretary, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research - 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 01.01.2003 to 31.12.2004.

(4) Dr. K. Kasturirangan, the then Secretary, Department of Space - one year beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 31.10.2002 to 30.9.2003.

2003

(1) Dr. Manju Sharma, the then Secretary, Department of Bio-Technology-one year beyond 63 years of age i.e. from 01.03.2002 to 28.02.2004.

(2) Shri G. Madhavan Nair, Secretary, Department of Space - two year beyond the age of superannuation.

(3) Dr. Anil Kakodkar, Secretary, Department of Atomic Energy - two years beyond 30.11.2002.

2004

(1) Dr. R.A. Mashelkar, Secretary, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research - 2 years beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 01.01.2005 to 31.12.2006.

(2) Prof. V.S. Ramamurthy, Secretary, Department of Science & Technology - one year beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.05.2004 to 30.04.2005.

(3) Dr. H.K. Gupta, Secretary, Department of Ocean Development - one year beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 01.7.2004 to 30.06.2005.

2005

(1) Prof. V.S. Ramamurthy, Secretary, Department of Science & Technology - one year beyond 63 years of age i.e. from 01.5.2005 to 30.4.2006.

(B) *Under second and third proviso to F.R. 56(d) during the last 3 years, the following specialists were granted extension in service:—*

(1) Shri A.K. Mishra, Director Geological Survey of India, - 6 months beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2002 to 31.10.2002.

(2) Dr. S.P. Bajaj, Consultant (Plastic Surgery), Department of Health - two months and 7 days beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.6.2002 to 7.8.2002.

(3) Dr. N. Vedachalam, Director ISRO, Deptt. Of Space- two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.11.2002 to 31.10.2004

(4) Dr. N. Venkataramani, Head BARC, Department of Atomic Energy- two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.10.2002 to 30.9.2004.

(5) Shri S.K. Sharma, Director BARC, Department of Atomic Energy- two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.8.2002 to 31.7.2004.

(6) Shri B. Bhattacharjee, Director, BARC, Department of Atomic Energy- 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2002 to 30.4.2004.

(7) Shri S.P. Bhoje, Director, IGCAR, Department of Atomic Energy- 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2002 to 30.4.2004.

(8) Shri S.S. Sharma, Scientist, Department of Defence Research & Development-2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2002 to 30.4.2004.

(9) Dr. S.B. Manohar, Head BARC, Department of Atomic Energy-one year beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.7.2002 to 30.6.2003.

(10) Prof Anshu kumar Sinha, Director, Birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeobotany, -one year beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.2.2002 to 31.1.2003.

(11) Dr. T.S. Prahlad, Director, National Aerospace Laboratory-2 years beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.6.2002 to 31.5.2004.

(12) Dr. Paul Ratnasamy, Director, National Chemical Laboratory - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.7.2002 to 30.6.2004.

(13) Dr. Sameer Bhattacharya, Director, Indian Institute of Chemical Biology-two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.12.2002 to 30.11.2004.

(14) Dr. J.P. Mittal, Director, BARC, Department of Atomic Energy-one year beyond 62 years of age i.e. from1.10.2002 to 30.9.2003.

(15) Dr. D.D. Bhawalkar, Director, Centre for Advanced Technology, Department of Atomic Energy-one year beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.11.2002 to 31.10.2003.

(16) Prof. Ramnath Cowsik Director, Indian Institute of Astrophysics-two years beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.9.2002 to 31.8.2004.

(17) Dr. K.S. Parthasarthy, Secretary, Atomic Energy Regulatory Board - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.2.2002 to 31.1.2004.

(18) Shri A.R. Sundarajan, Head, Radiological Safety Division, AERB-one year beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.3.2002 to 28.2.2003.

(19) Prof. P. Ramachandrda Rao, Scientist, National Metallurgical Laboratory, - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.4.2002 to 31.3.2004.

(20) Dr. P. Ravindranath Menon, Director, Indira Gandhi Memorial Hospital, Male - from 1.7.2001 to 19.5.2002 beyond 60 years of age.

(1) Shri R.V. Perumal, Project Director, GSLV, Department of Space,- two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.2.2003.to 31.1.2004.

(2) Dr. P.K. Seth, Scientist, Director, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research - two year beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.7.2003 to 30.6.2005.

(3) Prof.-Anshu Kumar Sinha, Director, birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeobotany, D/o Science & Technology. - One year beyond 61 years of age i.e. from 1.2.2003 to 31.1.2004.

(4) Shri M.B. verma, Programme Director, Aeronautical Development Agency, Department of Defence Research & Development-two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.8.2003 to 31.7.2005.

(5) Dr. Krishan Lal, Director, National Physical Laboratory-two years beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.4.2003 to 31.3.2005.

(6) Dr. B.S. Srivastava, Scientist, Cenral Drug Research Institute-2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. 1.6.2003 to 31.5.2005.

(7) Dr. R.N. Singh, Director, National Environmental Engineers Research Institute - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.8.2003 to 31.7.2005.

(8) Dr.K.V. Raghavan, Director, Indian Institute of Chemical Technology- two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.10.2003 to 30.9.2005.

(9) Dr. S. Ahmad, Central Electronic Engineers Research Institute - two years beyond the age of 60 year i.e. from 1.11.2003 to 31.10.2005.

(10) Prof. G.S. Lakhina, Director, Indian Institute of Geomagnetism - one year beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2003 to 30.4.2004.

(11) Shri K. Narayana, Director, Satish Dhawan Space Centre, Department of Space - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.7.2003 to 30.6.2005.

(12) Dr. (Ms.) K.A. Dinshaw, Director, Tata Memorial Centre, - 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.12.2003 to 30.11.2005.

(13) Dr. B.N. Suresh, Associate Director, VSSC, Department of Space- 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.12.2003 to 30.11.2005.

(14) Dr. N.K. Ganguly, D.G, Indian Council of Medical Research - 2 years beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.12.2003 to 30.11.2005.

2004

(1) Shri B. Bhattacharjee, Director, BARC, Department of Atomic Energy- 2 years beyond 62 years of age i.e. from 1.5.2004 to 30.4.2006.

(2) Shri B.P. Shastry, Deputy Project Director, Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre, Department of Space - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.8.2004 to 31.7.2006.

(3) Shri A. Bhaskaranarayana, Director SCPO Department of Space- 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.8.2004 to 31.7.2006.

(4) Dr. P.S. Nair, Deputy Director, ISRO, Department of Space - two years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.9.2004 to 31.8.2006.

(5) Dr. R.P. Bajpai, Director, CSIO, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research - 2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.10.2004 to 30.9.2006.

(6) Dr. C.M. Gupta, Director CDRI, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research -2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.9.2004 to 31.8.2006.

(7) Shri B.S. Bhatia, Director, DECU, Department of Space -2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.11.2004 to 31.10.2006.

(8) Dr. S.K. Sikka, Scientific Secretary, O/o the Principal Scientific Adviser -2 years from 1.12.2004 to 31.11.2006.

(9) Dr. Amit Ghosh, Director, IMT, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research -2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.12.2004 to 30.11.2006.

(10) Dr. T.G.K. Murthy, Deputy Director, ISRO, Department of Space - two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.3.2004 to 28.2.2006.

(11) Shri V. Gnana Gandhi, Programme Director, Department of Space - two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.2.2004 to 31.1.2006.

(12) Prof. Maqsood Siddiqui, Director, Bose Institute, Department of Science & Technology-two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.1.2004 to 31.12.2005.

(13) Shri K.N. Rai, Scientist, Defence Research & Development Organization-two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.1.2004 to 31.12.2005.

(14) Shri G. Govindarajan, Director, BARC, Department of Atomic Energy - two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.3.2004 to 28.2.2006.

(15) Dr. Sandip K. Basu, Director, National Institute of Immunology, D/o Biotechnology.-2 years beyond 60 years of age i.e. from 1.1.2004 to 31.12.2005.

(16) Dr. P. Pushangadan, Director, National Botanical Research Institute-two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.2.2004 to 31.1.2006.

(17) Prof. Asis Datta, Director NCPGR, Department of Bio-Technology-two years beyond the age of 60 years i.e. from 1.3.2004 to 28.2.2006.